

Orchard Information

GOOD GRAFTING WAX

1. The most common formula is: Resin, 4 parts by weight; beeswax, 2 parts; tallow, 1 part. Melt together and pour into a pan of cold water. Then grease the hands and pull the wax until it is nearly white.

2. For use in cold weather, when the above will not work, take 6 pounds resin, 1 pound beeswax and 1 pint lard oil; apply this hot all over the joints with a brush. It should be put on one-eighth of an inch thick.

3. For use in warm weather the following is used: Four parts of resin, 4 pounds of beeswax and from half a pint to a pint of raw linseed oil. Melt all together, gradually turn it into cold water and pull. The linseed oil should be entirely free from cottonseed oil.

TO MAKE BORDEAUX MIXTURE

Copper Sulphate, Quicklime and Water Are Necessary Ingredients—Mix and Apply at Once.

The necessary ingredients for making Bordeaux mixture are: Copper sulphate, 4 pounds; quicklime, 4 pounds; water to make 50 gallons.

Prepare the copper sulphate by suspending it in a gunny sack just below the surface of several gallons of water in a clean barrel. When the sulphate is dissolved, which requires three or four hours, remove the sack and stir into the barrel enough additional water to make exactly 25 gallons of the copper solution.

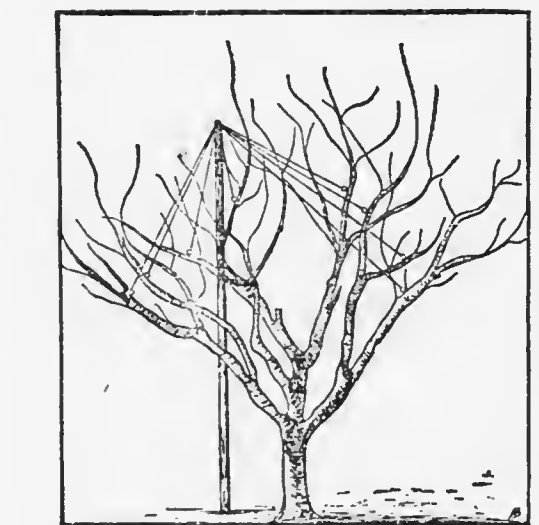
Prepare the lime by slacking it slowly and thoroughly in a clean barrel, strain, and add enough additional water to make exactly 25 gallons of lime milk. Stir thoroughly.

Pour the two ingredients together into another barrel, or better, directly into the spray tank, if it will hold 50 gallons. It is highly important to stir the mixture very thoroughly and to continue stirring until it is completely uniform. Otherwise the mixture will be of no use. Use a copper or bronze wire stirrer of 18 meshes to the inch. Do not put copper sulphate or Bordeaux mixture into tin or iron vessels, use only wood or copper containers. Mix the Bordeaux as needed and apply at once. It is never as good after it has settled.

PROP HEAVILY LADEN TREES

Various Methods Used in Great Apple Orchards of Washington to Protect Branches.

Out in the great apple orchards of Washington various methods are used for propping up the heavily laden trees. The one shown is known as the center pole and wire prop. When following this plan, screw-eyes are placed in the main limbs, and to these are



Apple-Tree Prop.

attached long strands of wire. At the end of each strand is a loop, which is placed over a nail driven in the end of a pole. This pole is raised to a position nearly parallel with the trunk of the tree and then firmly set in the ground. This has the effect of drawing the wires tight, holding the tree in shape and keeping the laden limbs from breaking under the strain.

HONEY BEES ARE NECESSITY

They are Greatest Factor in Distribution of Pollen Among Fruits and Berries.

An abundance of honey bees is a safeguard to horticulture. They are the greatest factor in the distribution of pollen among fruits and berries. A few other insects carry pollen, but if all honey bees were removed during fruit-bloom season, it is safe to say that there could not be enough fruit or berries produced to pay for the gathering of the crop.

FINE LOCATION FOR ORCHARDS

Fruit Tree Near Dwelling Is Worth Fifty Located Mile Away—Farmers Are Busy People.

A single plum tree or early apple tree near the house is worth 50 a mile away.

The farmer and his wife are busy people and do not have time to run over there every time they want a handful of fruit.

LIVE STOCK

USE OF BACTERIAL VACCINE

Vaccination as Preventive for Strangles and Distemper Being Extensively Employed.

The vaccination of horses as a preventive for strangles or distemper is being extensively employed. It has been found that the cause of the disease warrants the use of a bacterial vaccine. This gives assistance to nature's own efforts of protection and forms the logical means of preventing strangles as well as other diseases caused by specific organisms.

The outcome of the vaccination of horses has in some instances been disappointing. It is possible that in such cases the bacteria has deteriorated or become ineffective, or that the results are complicated by secondary infections. In the latter case it is advisable to use bacterins that will combat the secondary infections. These are called mixed bacterins, and contain a variety of killed bacteria commonly encountered in such diseases.

In case distemper appears, all healthy animals should be immediately injected with streptobacterins. The administration of bacterial vaccines should be made by a competent veterinarian, as improper administration may not provide proper protection and so result in irregularities. Bacterins can be obtained from manufacturers of various biological products.

CLIPPING HORSES IN SPRING

Heavy Coat of Hair Causes Much Sweating, Which Is Enervating to Work Animals.

A good many horses come through the winter season with heavy, rough coats that are not shed when spring work begins; the result is they are uncomfortable when at heavy work. A heavy coat of hair causes much sweating, which is enervating to the horse and consequently produces an unnecessary drain upon his strength and vitality. Nor is this all. A horse that sweats freely during the changing weather of spring is very apt to take cold. Rough, shaggy coats should be clipped in the spring before heavy work begins.

There are excellent clippers on the market for this purpose, and they can be bought at very reasonable prices. A good clipper will pay for itself in a single season on almost any farm, and sometimes it will do much more than that. If a team is laid up with a bad cold for a few days when work is pressing the loss of work may become very expensive. This should be avoided by the use of a clipper and incidentally also make the horse more comfortable.

KEEP ALL SWINE CONTENTED

One of Most Difficult Animals to Control Once It Gets Habit of Breaking Out of Pasture.

When a hog once gets the habit of getting out of its yard, pasture or whatever its enclosure may be, it is one of the most difficult animals to control. You can stop a breachy horse or cow if you build a fence high enough, but a hog goes through. If there is no hole in the fence it makes one. Of course if the fence was so tight at first that the hog could not get through, it won't bother you the second and forty-ninth time.

Insufficient or irregular feeding, or failing to supply something which the animals crave in the feed makes hogs restless and ready to take the first chance of exploring the outside world in hopes of finding what they failed to find in their troughs.

It saves time and patience to keep them contented and at home.

COMFORTABLE PEN FOR SOWS

Cheaper to Warm Animal With Reasonably Good Building Than to Furnish Alfalfa.

Do the hogs have warm, dry beds? Remember that it is a matter of economy in rearing hogs to provide them with comfortable quarters. It is cheaper to warm a hog with a reasonably good building, with straw and litter, than to burn alfalfa hay and 60-cent corn in maintaining the heat of the animal body.

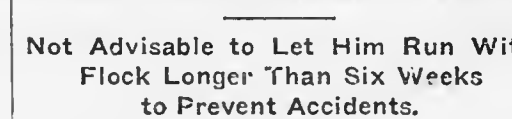
PERMITTING RAM WITH EWES

Not Advisable to Let Him Run With Flock Longer Than Six Weeks to Prevent Accidents.

Never let the ram run with the ewes any longer than six weeks, for he will butt them around and cause them to lose their lambs.

They will mostly all get with lamb sooner than this, but it is best to keep him in long enough to be sure.

CONTENTED SOW



Contented Sow.

HAIGHT, THE MIRAGE

By JOSEPH T. KESCEL.

Out in the mining camps of the Southwest Frank Reed was known as "Satan" or for short, "Sate." Short and stout, with a rosy-pink face, bright blue eyes and honest countenance, he did not in the least resemble the picture of his Satanic majesty. His business partner, Harry Haight, known among the camps as the "Mirage," was extremely tall and very thin. "He's like a mirage," cause you ain't dead sure whether it's something real or not," an old prospector had aptly expressed it.

Their occupation was the same—that of mining engineer—outside of working hours they devoted most of their time to thinking up practical jokes to play upon each other.

"Sate" was in the office alone, planning a new map of the mining district, while the "Mirage" was doing some work away from town. The tinkle of the telephone bell caused the roly-poly man to reach for the receiver. His face brightened at the words, "Is that you, Sate?"

"Yes-s-s! Oh, yes, Mrs. Thompson. I didn't recognize your voice at first," he chuckled into the transmitter. "Your niece, Alice, coming on the morning train? Hubby busy? Want me to go with you to meet her? Certainly, with pleasure, no trouble at all. I'll call for you thirty minutes before train time in the automobile. Good-by."

Even above the grinding brakes and release of air could be heard a woman's clear voice from an open car window calling, "Here I am, auntie—over here." The train came to a full stop, the vestibules were opened and a dainty foot tripped lightly down the steps to the platform. Two flying figures embraced each other. "Aunt Molly!" "Alice!" "Oh, you dear, it is so good to see you."

"Oh, excuse me, Alice," broke out Mrs. Thompson suddenly, "I want you to meet my friend 'Sate.' I beg your pardon," she rippled on, noting the girl's questioning look, "we call him 'Sate,' but his right name is Mr. Reed."

Bending over the wheel as the machine sped toward Mrs. Thompson's he heard the rippling laughter from the rear seat. "Didn't think there were any like that left back East," he chuckled to himself. "She's a smart one and looks better than bonanza ore to me."

The annual ball of the Golden Queen Mining company was the social event of the year. The main camp hall was ablaze with light and its freshly waxed floor shone like polished mahogany.

The grand march was announced, whereupon the joyous couples immediately formed in procession, their impatient feet beating time to the music.

Miss Scaboldt's escort smiled, as he thought of the joke he had framed up on his business partner and the young lady by his side.

The "Mirage" appeared, his tall figure easily overtopping the few men standing near the smoking-room door. "He is here! See that tall man over there—that's the 'Mirage,'" State eagerly remarked. "Too bad he's so deaf. It will be necessary for you to speak loudly. You will not forget this when you meet him?"

When the "grand march" was finished, "Sate" hurried to greet his partner with a hearty handshake.

"Who was that I saw you with a few moments ago?" asked the "Mirage."

"The young lady I wrote to you about staying over at the Thompsons. You'll have to speak loudly to her—her hearing's not very good. Too bad, too, for she's a pipsqueak."

Hooking an arm into his partner's, "Sate" conducted him to the girl and shouted a cordial introduction.

Miss Scaboldt's pretty face flushed scarlet and her laughing brown eyes were troubled. Why had Mrs. Thompson deserted her? People looked at them, first inquiringly and then with amusement. The face of the "Mirage" matched her own in redness and his blue-gray eyes showed the agony he was in.

The girl's high-pitched voice was plainly heard above the noisy chatter as she replied to some question directed at her in the loud, roaring tones of the man.

It was too much. "Sate" was obliged to make for the smoking room, where he dropped into a large armchair, his sides shaking with mirth. Numerous friends crowded around him and asked the reason for his strange behavior.

"Let me at him! Let me at him!" It was the "Mirage" who entered, brushing the crowd to one side. With a howl of rage he grasped "Sate" by the collar, jerked him up and slammed him back in the chair.

Friends hurriedly interceded, and led his struggling partner away.

"Some hostile, wasn't he boys? So long, fellows. It's my dance with her, and if she's as hostile as the 'Mirage,' I'm taking good-bye for keeps."

Presently he returned to the smoking room, and sorted: "It's a chum I'll have to join the bunch of stags at supper."

His last statement was entirely correct. Side with the laughing brown eyes sat beside the "Mirage" at the table and a year later walked beside him in the main church aisle, while "Sate" and Mrs. Thompson followed close behind.

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How the Scale Was Turned

An Incident of the Russian Revolution

By F. A. MITCHELL

Stephan Mikhailoff left the duma, where he had been working hard for days to bring about a change in the government which had entered without break for many centuries. Calling a drosky, he entered the hall, the coachman to drive him to his home, and throwing himself back, the cushion behind him, closed his eyes and remained in a position of exhausted exhaustion till the vehicle drove up to his house on a broad avenue along the Neva. Descending from the drosky, he paid the driver his fare and entered his home.

He was met in the hall by his daughter Marya, a girl not long turned seventeen. Marya was a typical Russian. Her eyes were a pale blue, her complexion soft white with a faint tinge of rose, her hair so light that it had not been for her youthful face it might have almost been mistaken for the whiteness of aged hair.

"Oh, father," she said, "I am so glad that you have come. Sochus Ivanovich is in Petrograd, his regiment having arrived last night. He has been to see me and begs me to intercede with you to gain your consent to our betrothal."

"Why do you trouble me about this matter?" replied the father angrily, "at such a time?"

"Yes, but that is no reason why I should take one of the people into my family."

"Sergeus is an officer, the youngest captain in his regiment."

"He was a common soldier in the ranks."

"And was promoted on account of his having more influence than his comrades than all the other officers of the regiment together."

"Enough. I have neither time nor inclination to argue with you on this point while engaged in the great work of pulling down the tottering bureaucracy. You know that the czar, aware of our efforts to free Russia, dissolved the representative assembly which we were wrung from him in the last revolution. You know that we refused to be dissolved. This from the government's point of view is revolution, treason. Had the czar the power his predecessors had every member of the duma would either be sent to Siberia or executed."

"But surely you will win."

"Not if the czar continues to pour troops into the capital. All patriotic gentlemen are supported by laymen. The officers are usually chosen from the aristocratic classes, and the officers control the men. When the war began the bureaucracy controlled the appointment of officers and took care to appoint those men whom they could rely to support the throne. Many of these officers have gone down in the struggle with the central powers, and their places have been filled by men from the people."

"It is to be supposed that the czar has concentrated such regiments in Petrograd as are officered by a superfluity of men upon whom he can rely. We are secretly arranging for a coup d'etat. Tomorrow morning the people will turn out in the streets and demand food. Their clamor will increase till the troops are called upon to quell the disturbance. That will be the critical moment. The revolution will commence, and its success depends upon whether the troops can be relied upon to shoot down the revolutionists. Now, my child, I must get some rest. I have not slept for two nights. Do not mention again the name of Captain Ivanovich. I will never consent to a union between you and any man who is not your equal in social rank."

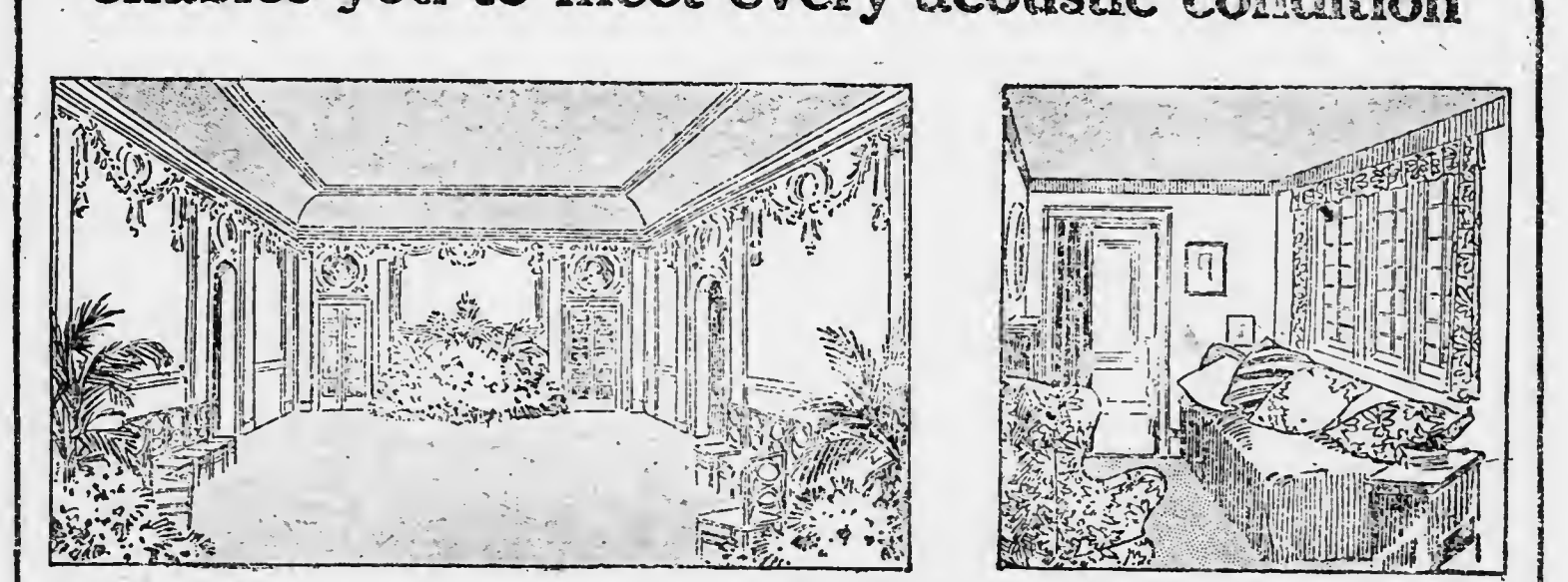
The father was about to turn away when the daughter stopped him.

"But, papa," she said anxiously, "is not this a too dangerous move in which you are engaged? What course will you generals at the front take? Will they not protect the czarina and her children with their lives?"

"The czarina," cried Mikhailoff angrily, "it is this German woman who has brought about this grave crisis. She has been furnishing our enemies with information of our movements and our necessities. Though her influence trains laden with our stores have been sent from west to east instead of from east to west. In Petrograd the detestable Rasbophin has baffled the efforts of the czar's generals at the front who were thinking of our protection."

"It is they who have called upon us here to bring about this revolution. They have arranged that the czar shall be arrested and forced to abdicate for himself and for his son. The members of the imperial family are to be

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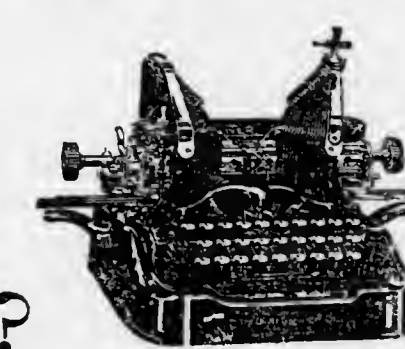
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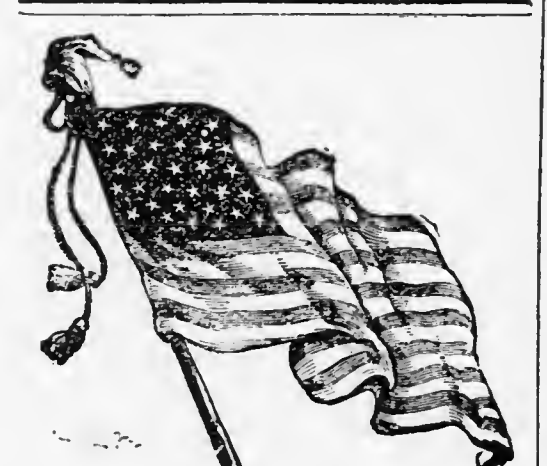
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For Congress.

We are authorized to announce MAJ. HENRY L. DENHARDT of Warren county, a candidate for Congress from the Third Congressional district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held in August, 1918.



—Stephen Decatur.

Though it requires but one day to register 10,000,000 men, Uncle Sam is likely to strain his voice before he gets through calling the roll.

Those who are eligible and who go to war may die gloriously or live in honor, but those who evade patriotic duty will be doomed to the slow death of general ignominy and contempt.

This is not so critical a time in the nation's history as was three months ago—at least there are fewer critics.

As human nature has not changed entirely in the last two years, some attempts at graft in spending the government's money for war purposes may be expected. They should be blocked.

Greenville is lucky in that it has escaped, so far, the tornado routes.

There is little doubt that the lake will have a bountiful supply this summer, for we have had a wet spring.

Main street is on the march North.

Good roads will yet be had in Muhlenberg.

Intelligent care of the outer premises will do more to destroy the fly than all the work that may be done by swatting. In fact, if every one would observe sanitary rules, there would be no flies to fight and destroy us.

Victor taught the needles can be had from Roark. First time for a year this announcement could be made, but the factory is catching up with the demand.

Enrolling the Young Men.

A splendid success has been scored for sound democracy by the orderly enrollment of more than 10,000,000 men whose ages fall within the limits set by congress in establishing rules for applying the selective draft. No more impressive demonstration of the intelligence and patriotism of Americans has been given. The spirit of the nation in this war is one of quiet determination to see the thing through. Each citizen is ready to do his share and in return asks nothing more than fair play. It is to be hoped that the most scrupulous care will be exercised by every agent of the government in taking the succeeding steps to secure justice for every man. The fine spirit universally shown will continue in evidence provided every form of favoritism is scrupulously excluded from the work of choosing effectives for the national army.

Thoughtful citizens must now be fully convinced that application of the principle of universal obligation to military service is desirable in all its aspects. It is essentially democratic. It brings into the service of the nation not only those who are most fit to serve, but those who in serving leave no appalling gaps in industries by which the life of the nation or the efficiency of its fighting forces must be sustained. Hazardous methods and disastrous delay are avoided, speed in preparation is secured so far as that is possible in the circumstances, and precision is applied to the whole workmanlike process.

We Americans are too busy getting ready for the serious business of making war effectively to do any spectacular hating or theatrical flag waving, but as a fighting nation we shall prove all the more formidable for that.

Roark has a better fly swatter, as hundreds of people already know, and thousands will learn before the season is over. Begin to learn at once.

Gr'm Visaged War.

War is indeed a frightful thing and any decent, thoughtful chap would gladly help to lynch the king who is the first to start a scrap. I hope this war may be the last that this old world shall know, that armies never more will blast the sacred stuff from the foe. And I say I'm glad I've lived to see the captain and his pawing nag, to see our people, proud and free, once more uphold the starry flag. For, in our days of peace and ease they told me loyalty had died, that nothing but a stack of V's would serve to stir the nation's pride. All over the world the story went, that coin's become our only god, our dreams are all of ten per cent, and nothing matters but a war. So often have I heard this tale, that I began to think it so, and said, "The land that worships kale must sound the lower depths of woe." I saw it headed for the dump, its institutions all deranged and then the captain blew his trumpet, and everything around was changed. Still lives the spirit of our sires, they lie who say our hearts are ice; still for our altars and our fires we'll make the last sad sacrifice. Walt Mason

Patriotic music in plenty at Roark's.

Kind Words for Spain.

Germany has treated with indifference the protests of the neutral nations like Holland and Denmark, which stand in fear of her armies. She takes a different attitude with Spain. The attack on the Patrio was a mistake of course, but something more by way of reparation is offered than a mere expression of regret. German warships will salute the Spanish flag if an apology is not deemed sufficient. The purpose of Berlin to avoid making a fresh enemy is further emphasized by the report that immunity may be granted to Spanish vessels which do not carry supplies for the allies. Hitherto the policy of sinking everything at sight has been carried out with apparent disregard of the consequences. Is it because some fear for the future has at last penetrated the German mind that a desire to conciliate and not to alienate the most powerful neutral left in Europe is thus tardily manifested? Germany forced a break with the United States believing, perhaps, that it could not be an effective factor in the war until too late. The outlook is less rosy now. That is why the remonstrances of Spain are no longer treated with contempt.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.



The fly is crafty and alert, he carries germs and also dirt. Stop his destructive activities with Roark's rubber fly swatter.

Buggy men are still doing a thriving business, as many people yet keep horses.

That flag is still to float from court house tower, but it will.

There is no uneasiness about our water supply this summer, for we have an abundant storage, which is still being increased.

Muhlenberg is not a cyclone center, but we get occasional brushes which keep us acquainted with the terror of such demonstrations.

There is rosy talk about a marriage of local people who are prominent and popular.

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Greenville has so far escaped the fury of the wind god, and we have contributed liberally to our unfortunate neighbors who lost everything they possessed.

America is rapidly realizing we are at war, and the effective response is surprising and gratifying to everyone. We are people who can meet emergencies, and shall not fail in this great call.

Put your house in shape for the summer season, and do not forget your lawn and outer premises.

Doctors are not so rushed, as there is comparatively little in the way of bad health conditions.

Palm beach suits are venturing out, but are not numerous, by any means, yet.

Our own home grown tomatoes will soon be on the table.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Pay day comes slowly to the man who watches the clock.

A good man is often known by the acquaintance he cuts loose from.

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Our Country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong.

—Stephen Decatur.

Though it requires but one day to register 10,000,000 men, Uncle Sam is likely to strain his voice before he gets through calling the roll.

Those who are eligible and who go to war may die gloriously or live in honor, but those who evade patriotic duty will be doomed to the slow death of general ignominy and contempt.

This is not so critical a time in the nation's history as was three months ago—at least there are fewer critics.

As human nature has not changed entirely in the last two years, some attempts at graft in spending the government's money for war purposes may be expected. They should be blocked.

Greenville is lucky in that it has escaped, so far, the tornado routes.

There is little doubt that the lake will have a bountiful supply this summer, for we have had a wet spring.

Main street is on the march North.

Good roads will yet be had in Muhlenberg.

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Enrolling the Young Men.

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Thoughtful citizens must now be fully convinced that application of the principle of universal obligation to military service is desirable in all its aspects. It is essentially democratic. It brings into the service of the nation not only those who are most fit to serve, but those who in serving leave no appalling gaps in industries by which the life of the nation or the efficiency of its fighting forces must be sustained. Hazardous methods and disastrous delay are avoided, speed in preparation is secured so far as that is possible in the circumstances, and precision is applied to the whole workmanlike process.

We Americans are too busy getting ready for the serious business of making war effectively to do any spectacular hating or theatrical flag waving, but as a fighting nation we shall prove all the more formidable for that.

Grin Visaged War.

War is indeed a frightful thing and any decent, thoughtful chap would gladly help to lynch the king who is the first to start a scrap. I hope this war may be the last that this old world shall know, that armies never more will blast the sacred stuff from the face. And I'm glad I've lived to see the captain and his pawing nag, to see our people, proud and free, once more uphold the starry flag. For, in our days of peace and ease they told me loyalty had died, that nothing but a stack of V's would serve to stir the nation's pride. All over the world the story went, that coin's become our only god, our dreams are all of ten per cent, and nothing matters but a war. So often have I heard this tale, that I began to think it so, and said, "The land that worships kale must sound the lower depths of woe." I saw it headed for the dump, its institutions all deranged and then the captain blew his trumpet, and everything around was changed. Still lives the spirit of our sires, they lie who say our hearts are ice; still for our altars and our fires we'll make the last sad sacrifice.

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Kind Words for Spain.

Germany has treated with indifference the protests of the neutral nations like Holland and Denmark, which stand in fear of her armies. She takes a different attitude with Spain. The attack on the Patrio was a mistake of course, but something more by way of reparation is offered than a mere expression of regret. German warships will salute the Spanish flag if an apology is not deemed sufficient. The purpose of Berlin to avoid making a fresh enemy is further emphasized by the report that immunity may be granted to Spanish vessels which do not carry supplies for the allies. Hitherto the policy of sinking everything at sight has been carried out with apparent disregard of the consequences. Is it because some fear for the future has at last penetrated the German mind that a desire to conciliate and not to alienate the most powerful neutral left in Europe is thus tardily manifested? Germany forced a break with the United States believing, perhaps, that it could not be an effective factor in the war until too late. The outlook is less rosy now. That is why the remonstrances of Spain are no longer treated with contempt.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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Buggy men are still doing a thriving business, as many people yet keep horses.

That flag is still to float from court house tower, but it will.

There is no uneasiness about our water supply this summer, for we have an abundant storage, which is still being increased.

Muhlenberg is not a cyclone center, but we get occasional brushes which keep us acquainted with the terror of such demonstrations.

There is rosy talk about a marriage of local people who are prominent and popular.

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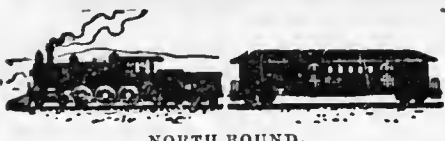
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Stops to discharge revenue passengers from Louisville and points beyond.

May 20, 1917. W. G. CRAWFORD, Agt.

Local Mention.

Fly the flag.

Get any sort of sewing machine equipment from Roark.

If in doubt as to what to do with your extra money, put it in a "Liberty Bond."

Fight the fly, or he may whip you.

Newspaper editors are taking a vacation in Louisville this week, and the boys at home are getting a rest.

Prices on everything are still in a balloon.

Roark has the only sanitary fly swatter ever made.

Greenville has not yet had its clean-up day, therefore is still in need of it.

Secret service men are said to have been operating here, and there is a tip that some of our loud-mouthed citizens will get a trip to Owensboro.

See the line of talking machines at Roark's, and select the instrument you wish.

Yes, we are to have another Chautauqua, next season.

Strawberries are about played out.

Roark's rubber fly swatter unlimbers like lightning, always gets the fly and never injures the furniture or drapery. Try one, and you'll add full equipment.

Weather Forecast for the Week.

Forecast for the week beginning Sunday June 10, 1917—For Ohio Valley and Tennessee: Moderately warm with occasional showers and thunderstorms.

Mrs. J. H. Bohannon, of Louisville, has been here several days on a visit to relatives.

Swat the fly is now the cry. Roark's rubber swatter will make it a sport.

Next Thursday is the longest day of the year, and we have had no summer yet.

Straw hats may soon appear, but they have had no showing yet.

See the \$100 Victrola.

Although we are in a great world war, don't forget that the fly destroys more lives than any other one agency.

The postoffice room has been redecorated, and looks fine in its new paint and paper.

Hear John McCormack and chorus sing "The Star Spangled Banner" at Roark's. Hundreds of other selections which please, and you are invited to hear anything, any time.

The very greatest Home Defense League is to so plan that you will not be dependent upon your neighbor, except in times of calamity.

Old newspapers for sale, this office.

Don't waste food; don't hoard supplies.

Lyon & Healy and Washburn pianos are tuned to international pitch, and they have every other superior quality which has gained the international place of honor which they have attained. See, try and hear them at Roark's.

There has been no complaint about the rains we have been getting, but we have objected to the accompanying winds.

Mrs. Mattie Summers has returned to her home at Earles, after spending a few days here with Mrs. Jennie E. Roark.

Kentucky editors are in Louisville this week, enjoying the program and features of entertainment provided by the Louisville Publicity League.

Fight the fly. Roark has the most effective weapon ever invented.

Stop Fly Pest With Coal Oil Spray.

The U. S. government has issued a bulletin based on thorough and varied tests of coal oil spray on manure piles and other breeding places for flies, and urges people to use such a spray every seven days, as it requires eight days for the eggs to hatch, and thus the pest can be eliminated. In all large cities and in even most small towns, livery stable keepers and others necessary are required to use this spray at least once a week, and reports are that results are most gratifying. The remedy is cheap, and the results are great in comfort and health, and should be adopted here.

Roark asks the reader to view a real piano—Lyon & Healy.

Notice.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of Greenville Graded School District No. 14, white, the following bonds of the issue July 1, 1909, were called for payment July 1, 1917: Nos. 1, 36, 74, 77, 87, 89, 92, 94, 95, 97, 99. Present at First National Bank, Greenville, Ky., for payment. All interest will cease after above date.

H. C. Lewis, Secty.

Orien L. Roark is in Louisville, attending both the Press meeting and the Funeral Directors' association, which are in session there. He is accompanied by Carol and Mary Elizabeth Roark.

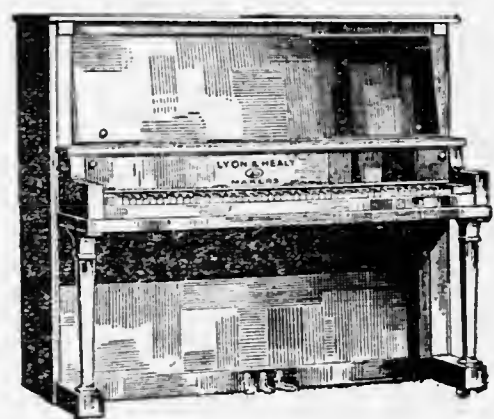
Mr. Charley Metzger arrived from Oklahoma Saturday, and will be here with relatives and friends for some weeks.



An Invitation—and a Warning

As dealers in VICTOR talking machines and LYON & HEALY pianos, we extend an open invitation to everyone to call and see, try and hear our offerings, entirely without obligation. We desire to show our goods in connection with similar items on the market, and advise prospective customers to look about, as comparisons are educative. We have no secret price, and we seek no exclusive privilege, for the purchase of either a piano or talking machine is too serious a matter to enter upon lightly, and we suggest that you spend some time in investigation before you spend any money, or obligate yourself for future payments. If you secure the right items, either a piano or talking machine will delightfully serve you indefinitely—so the time you spend in testing and selecting will pay great dividends. A visit with us may prove to be one of profit, as well as pleasure. Our time will be gladly given, whether you buy or not.

THE J. L. ROARK ESTATE
Greenville, Kentucky



Dry Fruit for Winter Use.

The U. S. Government has issued a special bulletin strongly advising people everywhere to dry fruit of all kinds, as there is little trouble in the operation, no losses result, as in canning, and the expense for sugar can be cut down vastly, as only sweetening need be used as the fruit is used, and always at a time when sugar is cheapest, in the winter months. This practice has been dropped to a great degree, people depending on canned and evaporated fruits, at a great increase in the cost of living. This is a great avenue for saving, and insures a full supply of this valuable food, which occasionally becomes scarce, or is cornered by large interests, and the price is almost prohibitive.

See the most practical fly-swatter on the market; made of rubber and will last for years; will not damage lace curtains or the finest furniture, but is sure death to the fly. Can be washed and kept sanitary, and is the practical and ideal little implement in good housekeeping. Price is only 10 cents. At Roark's.

City Taxes Due.

I have the city tax books in my hands, and give notice that on July 1 the penalty of 6 per cent. will be added to all lists unpaid at that time. W. R. Dennis, Marshal.

Calf Brings \$21.

Mr. J. N. Clemmons last week shipped a six weeks' old Jersey calf weighing 175 pounds to the Bourbon stockyards in Louisville. It sold at 12 cents a pound, which was one cent above market price, bringing \$21, which is the best mark ever known from this market. There is a general grading up of cattle in this county, and such prices as these will still further encourage cattle raisers to get the best.

Get bargains from Roark's late purchases of mill overruns on Wallpaper. Fresh goods, not in for a few days, but at old prices.

Even when war is ended, our strenuous condition will not cease. For it is predicted by people who know that this will be the time when real pluck will be tested to the utmost, as Europe will be very eager to re-establish her commercial, social and artistic supremacy.

Don't fight the flies so strong as long that you neglect the weeds. They are developing rapidly and need curbing.

Make and save, if you want to pass through the war season and land right.

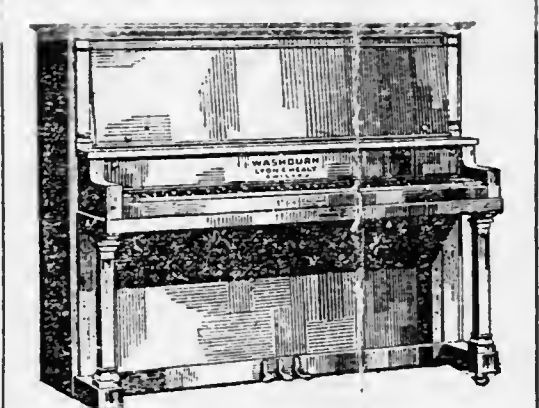
Unc Dunc Botts declares "There are many more things real than most of us dream about." So, we must get busy.

We have not yet begun to feel the real crump of war, and all of us hope it may pass before that time.

Good morning! Were you sorry, also, that you could not register?

Buy the instrument the greatest artists of the world select to reproduce their supreme efforts. You can't fool them, and they select the Victrola. Let Roark demonstrate and explain the superior qualities.

Kentucky funeral directors and embalmers are in Louisville this week, in annual convention, the sessions being held at the Tyler hotel.



We have some information which every prospective piano buyer should know. Piano prices and qualities are two vital things which few buyers know, and which many sellers conceal, if they know. We shall be glad to help you, and will do so, even if we do not sell you. The J. L. Roark Estate.

Mr. Ben Mayhugh is home for a two week vacation. He has been superintending drilling operations in Allen and Barren counties, and has made some lucky strikes, bringing in recently one of the strongest oil and gas wells developed in that promising territory.

Mr. Bob Crutcher was here from Nashville the first of the week.

Mr. Wm. Coursey, of Bicknell, Ind., is here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. Wood Sumner, who has been in school in Lexington, has gone to Barborton, Ohio, where he has a position in the drafting department of a large factory making munitions.

Mr. J. A. Johnson was here from Madisonville Monday on legal business.

Rural route carriers had considerable hindrance during the past week from rains and windstorms, and have been unable to maintain schedules.

The postoffice has just had a spring dressing up, and in new paint and paper looks good to every caller.

Slackers and interlopers are now getting the cord drawn about them. None of them may be shot, but many of them deserve it. Citizen traitors are always the ones most to be feared.

Just a week, and we will be experiencing the longest day of the year.

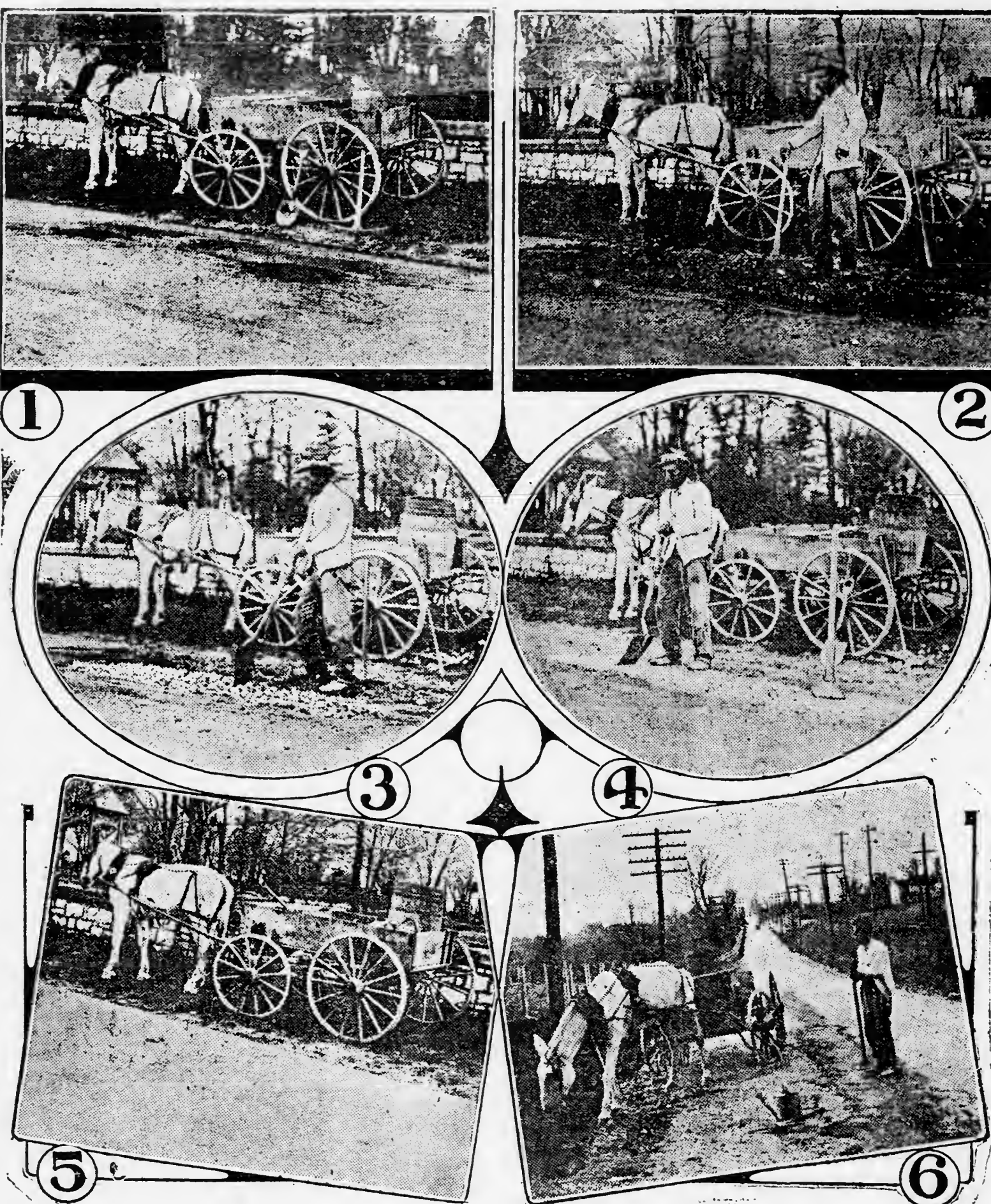
Hawaiian Music to Be Heard Here at Forthcoming Redpath Chautauqua



JAMES R. FREW & CO., a trio Prince Polo Kioh of Hawaii, from the United States playing this Hawaiian music, which will be heard here at the coming to be the master artist of the wondrously haunting plea to Mauna Chautauqua, present a novel proposition, taught Mr. Frew to play "The Loa, the great volcano. The ukelele gram, including Hawaiian music. In Prayer to the Volcano" on the steel and other Hawaiian instruments are all Mr. Frew plays on instruments. Mr. Frew is the only man in, used extensively in the program.

Redpath Chautauqua, Central City, Ky., June 28-July 3

PATROL SYSTEM OF MAINTAINING MACADAM ROADS, FRANKFORT AND VERSAILLES PIKE, FRANKLIN COUNTY



No. 1, Showing holes in macadam road. No. 2, Hole cleaned out. Note vertical sides to retain material. No. 3, Hole filled with new material same size and kind of material as used in building road. No. 4, Hole after being properly tamped, screened and watered, being left about a quarter of inch above former surface. Hole practically completed. No. 5, Completed patch in road. No. 6, Showing repair of deep rut on same road.

See and Hear the Lyon & Healy Pianos at Roark's



For Everything Musical

HIS QUEER TASTE FOR EGGS.

An Irish Joke and a Starling English Country Girl.

In his book "Gentiana" J. F. Fuller, the Irish octogenarian literary light, tells a story of his sister illustrative of the fear of Irishmen that was inspired by the Fenian activities. She was living at the time in London, and he wrote to invite himself on a visit. His sister replied with an appropriate welcome, but added that she had a young English country girl as a parlor maid who had never seen an Irishman and who might be seriously disturbed by the encounter. On his arrival Mrs. Hyde summoned the girl:

"There's an Irishman outside, Jane. Open the hall door. Don't be frightened. Come along. I'll go with you."

"When I was inside and had got through with my brotherly salutation I made indirect overtures to the enemy by saying, 'I suppose this is your maid.'"

"Yes, that's Jane."

"Well, Jane, I said, 'how do you do?' And I held out my hand, but she was too scared to take it, and I was obliged to do all the shaking for her."

"Next morning after breakfast I was surprised to see my sister carefully disposing of the eggshells in the fireplace. She answered my questioning look with a laugh."

"You just keep quiet, Jim, and you'll have a full explanation presently," she said.

"I subsided behind the newspaper, Jane entered to remove the breakfast things and when halfway through came to a halt and was evidently a bit bewildered. She, in fact, missed the shells."

"What's the matter with you, girl? queried my sister."

"The—the eggs, ma'am," said Jane, tentatively looking round the table.

"Oh, never mind them," explained the mistress. "It's all right."

"Poor Jane, evidently perturbed, proceeded with her work haltingly, and Mrs. Hyde had to rally her again."

"Why, what on earth are you about, Jane? Why don't you clear away? One would think you were looking for the eggshells."

"So I was, ma'am," responded Jane promptly.

"Why, you young goose," exclaimed my sister, "don't you know they always eat the shells in Ireland?"

The startled look that broke over Jane's face as she fled from the room was a study for an artist."

Health.

Health is so necessary to all the duties as well as pleasures of life that the crime of squandering it is equal to the folly.—Johnson.

Evidence They Lacked.

"Before Columbus," said the school-teacher, "what did people think was the shape of the world?"

"They thought the world was flat," said the pupils.

"Right—they thought the world was flat. Now, why did they think the world was flat?"

"The way it looked, and silence followed. Finally a brilliant pupil raised his hand."

"Well, Otto?"

"Because in them days they didn't have any light to see how it was round."

Cleveland Plain Dealer.

As to Music.

"Music, I've seen," said Sandy McNab, president of the West Side Amalgamated Bagpipers, "is the goodly key that unlocks a vicious circle. This is how it comes."

"Music arranges emotion. Varra weel, an' emotion arranges thought."

Varra weel again. "Thought arranges action, ye weel ken. An' action brings regret. Regret arranges sanity. An' sanity is soothed by music!"

"Hae a go at the pipes, Willie!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Southpaw Winder.

"I wish you would tell me what is the matter with my watch," said the girl.

"It was her first watch, a birthday present, and as the jeweler took it and deftly wound the stem between the thumb and index finger of his right hand she watched him closely as if it were an operation involving some mysterious incantation."

"It seems to be all right," said the jeweler, handing it back to her. "You ought to keep it wound up, though."

"It looks very simple when you do it," replied the girl, "but I could wind it all day and it wouldn't go for me."

And then the jeweler saw where the difficulty was. "No wonder," he said, "because you are left-handed, and instead of winding it up you've been turning the stem the wrong way."

Roark's Greenville, Ky.

A FEW DROPS

BOURBON POULTRY CURE

Makes Hens Lay Amazingly

Cures Croup, Colds, Cholera, Typhoid, and all ailments of the throat, lungs, and bowels. At drug stores or by mail postpaid. Value of poultry book free.

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ARTILLERY AND ROADS.

I am not prepared to say that the day of the fixed coast defense guns of our present system is past, but it is the undoubted sentiment among coast artillery officers in our service that we must at least supplement our permanent ones with some suitable type of mobile artillery. Whether these guns should be mounted on flat cars to be transported on a railroad or motor trucks on the highways is an open question. The latter method would undoubtedly afford a greater degree of mobility, but in the present condition of our highway systems it is almost impossible of attainment.

One of the most important phases of coast military preparedness that can possibly be undertaken is that which is going on under the impetus of the good roads movement, now become so general all over the country. A good road, well built, well surfaced and well drained, may be of immense value from a military point of view. In the long run of roads, particularly along the shore, special attention to military requirements in the laying out and planning of a highway may prove of inestimable value at some time in the future when that highway becomes a military road.—Captain Arthur Hyde, U. S. A.

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This criticized world is a pretty good place. If you take all your woes with the right kind of grace. And learn to find good in your sorrow and pain. And to watch for the sunshine that follows the rain.

I know that the world has a mighty blue sky. And that, my friend, if you just all the time. Your door will swing open and let in the light. That will put all your little blue devils to flight.

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FEDERAL ROAD BUILDING.

Next Five Years Will Be Ones of Unparalleled Activity.

Now that Uncle Sam has definitely set forth what the government will do in the matter of road building during the next five years, it is certain that during that period the United States will be the scene of the greatest highway activity any nation has ever known, says the Brooklyn Eagle.

Uncle Sam has agreed to spend \$85,000,000 building highways in the several states, providing the states will spend \$75,000,000, the total to be \$160,000,000 spent for roads within the next five years. Of its \$85,000,000 the government will expend \$10,000,000 in roads in forest reserves. That the federal proposition appeals to the states and thereby presages the nation's greatest highway building era is conclusively shown in letters from the 12 states state highway departments to the American Automobile association, published in the American Motorist.

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His Mistake.

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A man recently called up, the chief operator of a local exchange and said: "I don't like the way our telephone girl answers civil questions."

"What did she do that you did not like?" the operator asked.

"I called up over another telephone and told her that ours did not work, and what do you think she said?"

"Well, what did she say?"

"She said, 'It is a long way to Tipperary.'"

The operator made an investigation and soon returned.

"The girl did not say 'It is a long way to Tipperary,'" she reported.

"What did she say, then?"

"She said 'The line is out temporarily.'"

And now it is up to the man to buy the girl a box of chocolates.—Youngstown Telegram.

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The construction of the road will provide an important addition to the very small number of highways in China outside the cities which are available for motor vehicles. The number, however, is slowly increasing.

A concession by an American company for a road in the environs of Peking was obtained recently, and plans are announced also for the construction of a road from Dairen, in the territory on the Kwangtung peninsula leased by Japan, to the summer resort at Hoshizaura or Star Beach. An appropriation of 100,000 yen (\$53,200) has been made for the purpose by the local administration. The road will be forty-eight feet wide and be reserved for rubber tired vehicles.

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